

PATENT
Docket No. GC761-6

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Becker et al.) Group Art Unit: 1651
Serial No. 10/626,125) Examiner: Susan M. Hanley
Filed: July 23, 2003)
For: Reduced Aerosol Generating)
Formulations)

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated June 6, 2008, for which a response was due on September 6, 2008. Filed herewith are a Petition and fee for a three month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to December 6, 2008. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein, are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.